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Re: New Patent Application
GOETZINGER et al.- ROC920010204US1

Dear Sir:

We enclose herewith the application of GOETZINGER et al. for Letters Patent for QoS SCHEDULER AND METHOD FOR IMPLEMENTING QUALITY OF SERVICE WITH AGING TIME STAMPS (Case ROC920010204US1), including the specification, a set of 20 claims and one copy of the drawings (8 sheets). Also enclosed is the Declaration with Power of Attorney and an Assignment to INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORPORATION. An information disclosure statement and Form 1449 are enclosed together with a copy of each listed document.

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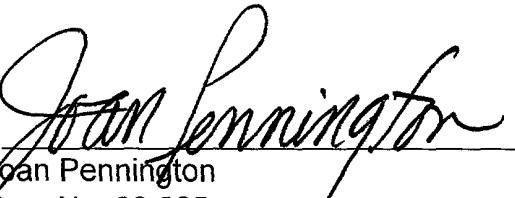
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